

### CDIF Purchase of Service Projects for 2012

No.	Agency and Project Name	Description	Funding Allocation
<b>One-Year Projects</b>			
1	Big Brothers Big Sisters of York Mentoring Across Ages and Cultures	To engage teens and seniors that reflect the cultural diversity of the region as mentors. Fifty-five children ages 6-16 who have been identified as being at risk because of social, cultural or socioeconomic factors will benefit from mentorship.	\$51,905.00
2	Catholic Community Services of York Region Specialized Family Support Service Project	Provide a range of family centered individual and group supports in order to enhance social and economic well being and strengthen families. It is estimated that 150 families and 695 group participants will benefit.	\$115,850.00
3	Community Alliance for York Region Education (CAYRE) Snapshot	Provide 300 low income, newcomer children ages 9-13 living in Markham, Richmond Hill and Vaughan with a 6 week hockey program (on and off ice activities) aimed at improving teamwork, leadership skills, socialization, nutrition and health.	\$60,000.00
4	COSTI Immigrant Services Life Success Strategies	Assist 120 low income residents including those receiving Ontario Works with pre-employment supports.	\$93,914.00
5	Future Possibilities for Kids FPK Kids in the Community	Engage 200 kids from underserved communities in programs that will provide one to one and group volunteer support to develop community leadership skills, help kids to work in groups to deliver community action projects and link kids with community organizations to better understand social issues and supports available to them and their families.	\$109,475.00
6	Girls Incorporated of York Region Including All Girls	Through workshops, field trips, guest speakers and special events, 300 low income girls will be provided with leadership opportunities.	\$21,881.00
7	Human Endeavour Maple Community Building	Through this program, 600 low income children and parents in the South Asian community will participate in programs that improve parenting skills reduce social isolation and increase access to other programs.	\$69,612.00

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8	Inn from the Cold Employment Program	Offer 20 homeless and at-risk individuals comprehensive pre-employment training and internships. Participants will learn necessary life skills that will help them overcome barriers that prevent sustainability in the work force.	\$59,645.00
9	Inn from the Cold Shelter Program	Provide emergency overnight shelter, clothing, food and laundry services and access to further on and off site services for 100 unique guests.	\$93,000.00
10	Jericho Youth Services Bethany After School Program	Provide a free, 5 day per week after school program for 20 children ages 6 to 12 at Bethany Co-operative Housing in Keswick.	\$29,233.75
11	Jericho Youth Services Jackson's Point Co-op After School Program	Provide a free, 5 day per week after school program for 20 children ages 6-12 at Jackson's Point Co-operative Housing.	\$29,233.75
12	Jericho Youth Services Pefferlaw Martial Arts	Provide a free weekly one hour martial arts program for 40 children and youth ages 5-19 in Pefferlaw. Program will support the physical, social, emotional and cognitive growth of each participant.	\$6,636.25
13	Jericho Youth Services Sutton Martial Arts	Provide a free weekly one hour martial arts program for 40 children and youth ages 5-19 for 30 weeks in Sutton. Program will support the physical, social, emotional and cognitive growth of each participant.	\$7,936.25
14	Jewish Family and Child The Family Resource Centre	Provide parents and caregivers culturally appropriate services through a drop-in play program for children ages 0-5. Participants will access parenting workshops, multi-lingual health promotion, a clothing bank and information and referral services. It is estimated that 300 culturally diverse families will benefit.	\$88,800.00

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15	Job Skills Smart Start	Assist a minimum of 85 unemployed, low-income residents of York Region to develop industry-specific skills and obtain certifications necessary to compete for employment in the Food and Beverage or Customer Service Sectors.	\$173,816.00
16	Junior Achievement of Central Ontario Success for Youth	Increase the life skills, career readiness, employability and graduation rate of 3,600 youth in vulnerable neighbourhoods in York Region. Programs delivered will include Diversity in Action, Dollars with Sense, Economics of Success, Dream Big and Company Program.	\$49,375.00
17	JVS Toronto Pre-Employment Steps to Self Sufficiency (PRESS)	Offer specialized services that will reduce the risk of homelessness and move 22 multi-barriered clients towards self-sufficiency. This will involve the provision of psycho-vocational assessments, followed by action planning and intensive individual supports for up to 4 months to address barriers such as mental health, addictions and learning challenges.	\$128,376.00
18	Learning Centre for Georgina Georgina Outreach Office and Learning Hub	In partnership with Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers, provide 60 single pregnant or parenting young mothers, fathers and low income families with access to child minding services so that they can access necessary literacy programming and/or counselling.	\$82,000.00
19	Learning Disabilities Association of York Region SOAR	Provide group and individualized supports to 164 youth 16 years and over with learning disabilities and/or ADHD by providing social development, life skills and employment support to enable them to access and maintain employment.	\$28,740.00
20	LOFT Community Services Street Outreach and Services Network	Provide mobile services to 1,250 homeless people in York Region in order to reduce the possible harms associated with being homeless and/or coping with mental illness/addictions issues.	\$280,000.00

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21	Mosaic Interfaith Out of the Cold Out of the Cold Program	Provide emergency overnight shelter, including meals, clothing, support services, basic health care and harm reduction to 1,240 individuals who are homeless and/or at risk of homelessness during the winter season. Services will be offered at six different sites on a rotating basis.	\$195,395.10
22	Pathways for Children, Youth, and Families of York Region Housing Support Services	Provide 100 homeless or at-risk youth with access to housing supports that will help them in securing and maintaining housing.	\$77,541.00
23	Rehabilitation Foundation for the Disabled (Ontario March of Dimes) The Retail Grocery Customer Service Training Program	Provide skills training, knowledge and on the job work experience for 175 individuals from marginalized client groups in York Region. Participants will be trained to work in the retail sales and grocery sectors.	\$137,290.00
24	Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers Mothers Matter	Thirty mothers involved in with the Children's Aid Society will be provided with group programs and individual counselling. These sessions will enhance parenting skills, improve relationships, and provide stress management, anger management, and communication skills.	\$58,000.00
25	Social Services Network Focus on Family Literacy II	Provide Focus on Family Literacy program to 100 parents and grandparents and expand programming to offer services to families with children up to the teen years.	\$69,000.00
26	Steps Society for Permanent Recovery STEPS Training, Employment and Preparation Service	Assist 144 individuals in recovery from alcohol and/or drug addiction by preparing them for employment. Services will include life strategy lessons for self and job, career and vocational assessments, computer upgrading and assistance with job placement and ongoing supports after program completion.	\$163,680.00

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27	YMCA of Greater Toronto PlayOn and Youth Leadership	Provide a recreational drop in after school program in six social housing communities for 80 children ages 6-12 years and a youth leadership program to 50 youth ages 13-18 yrs program in 5 social housing communities.	\$140,152.00
28	York Region Food for Learning / York Region Food Network Food for Learning	Provide nutritionally balanced breakfasts and snacks to 31,000 students in York Region in an inclusive, non-stigmatizing environment thereby enhancing their classroom learning as well as their social, mental and physical health.	\$120,371.00
29	York Region Food Network Healthy Living Hub	Support homeless and at-risk individuals with access to healthy food. Services will include a weekly community kitchen program, a drop-in breakfast program. The programs will reduce social isolation and increase access to basic needs.	\$48,000.00
30	Youth Assisting Youth Group and Special Interest Mentoring	Provide free group mentoring program for 240 at-risk children and youth ages 6-15. Activities will include photography, boxing, cooking, nutrition, judo and will focus on learning, social development, engagement and mentorship.	\$51,630.00
31	Youth Unlimited Toronto The Shop Employment Initiatives	Assist 60 youth ages 14-24, who are non-violent offenders, expelled or suspended from school with no immediate re-entry plan, to attain sustainable livelihoods through a combination of paid career and work experience, innovative job skills development and life-learning opportunities.	\$80,000.00
<b>Total One-Year Projects</b>			<b>\$2,720,488.10</b>

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No.	Agency and Project Name	Description	Funding Allocation
<b>Renewable Projects</b>			
1	Blue Door Shelters Community Housing Support Workers	Provide support to 1,000 homeless individuals living in Blue Doors emergency shelters to find, obtain and maintain permanent housing in York Region.	\$189,325.00
2	Citizens for Affordable Housing Housing Help Centre	Assist 4,800 individuals / families to find housing by providing them with a list of available units and to make referrals to other services and programs. The project will also recruit landlords to list units and provide landlord and tenant education.	\$146,540.00
3	Citizens for Affordable Housing ID Clinic	To provide 192 ID Clinics across the Region where 1,500 homeless or at-risk individuals will be assisted to receive replacement identification.	\$206,701.00
4	Family Services York Region Family and Schools Together	Bring 60 low income families (including recent immigrants) together to participate in fun, research based activities aimed at strengthening families, empowering parents and building supportive communities.	\$87,509.00
5	Georgina Trades Training Inc. Get S.E.T. for Your Future	Increase the employability of 30 unemployed individuals by delivering a multi-faceted program of literacy/numeracy upgrading, financial literacy, problem solving skills, job related certifications, computer skills and service skills.	\$64,330.00
6	JVS Toronto Youth Reach II	Provide 175 youth ages 15-20 who have a history of conflict with the law with employment training through one-on-one itinerant employment counselling and job development services so that they can obtain employment or return to school.	\$159,728.00
7	Lance Krasman Memorial Centre for Community Mental Health Application Support Worker	Assist 60 individuals who are on the Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP) waiting list to navigate the system and receive a decision regarding their application.	\$77,000.00

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8	Lance Krasman Memorial Centre for Community Mental Health Homelessness Drop In Support Worker	Provide practical supports, including information and referral to necessary services to 30 homeless or at-risk individuals who access the Drop In Centre.	\$37,933.00
9	Literacy Council York-Simcoe Skills Enhancement for Employment	Provide essential, employability, computer and job search skills to unemployed individuals in order to increase their confidence and ability to compete in the labour market. The project will provide intake and assessment to 200 adults in York Region.	\$79,718.00
10	Pathways for Children, Youth and Families of York Region Home Base Youth Drop-In Centre	This youth drop-in centre in Richmond Hill will provide 800 homeless or at-risk youth with access to counselling, case management, social recreation, food and clothing.	\$351,000.00
11	Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers Housing Supports	Provide support to 120 young mothers with supports to secure and maintain affordable housing.	\$66,495.00
12	Rose of Sharon Services for Young Mothers Young Mothers Outreach Support	Provide individual counselling and group services for 160 young mothers. Parenting education, child development and peer support building opportunities will be provided in order to enrich their parenting competency.	\$148,000.00
13	Salvation Army Sutton Youth Shelter Employment and Educational Support	Provide job-specific training, pre-employment support and an in-house educational program to 100 youth who are shelter residents, in transitional housing or at-risk of homelessness in the community.	\$104,934.00
14	Salvation Army Sutton Youth Shelter Housing and Community Supports	Offer support, advocacy and life skills workshops to 300 homeless or at-risk youth. Assist they youth in obtaining and maintaining affordable and adequate housing.	\$72,626.00
15	Women's Centre of York Region Bridging the Gap	Provide a variety of services to help low income women bridge the gap between financial vulnerability and sustainability.	\$142,283.00
<b>Total Renewable Projects</b>			<b>\$1,934,122.00</b>